EXAMINER HEARING - WEDNESDAY - JANUARY 21, 1970 DOCKET:

9 A.M. - OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION CONFERENCE ROOM, STATE LAND OFFICE BUILDING, SANTA FE, NEW MEXICO

The following cases will be heard before Elvise A. Utz, Examiner, or Daniel S. Nutter, Alternate Examiner:

CASE 4295: Application of Texaco, Inc., for waterflood project, Lea County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks authority to institute a waterflood project by the injection of water into the Delaware formation through the Cotton Draw Unit Well No. 13, formerly the Continental Oil Company State Z-16 Well No. 1, located in Unit G of Section 16, Township 25 South, Range 12 East, Paduca-Delaware Pool, Lea County, New Mexico.

CASE 4296:

Application of S. P. Yates for a pressure maintenance project expansion, Eddy County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the abovestyled cause, seeks authority to expand the S. P. Yates West McMillan Anderson Pressure Maintenance Project, authorized by Order No. R-3852, by the injection of water into the Queen formation through one additional well, the Anderson Well No. 3 located 2310 feet from the East line and 990 feet from the South line of Section 11, Township 20 South, Range 26 East, West McMillan-Seven Rivers-Queen Pool, Eddy County, New Mexico.

CASE 4297:

Application of Anadarko Production Company for lease commingling, Lea County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks authority to commingle Langlie-Mattix production from the Langlie-Mattix Penrose Sand Unit Tracts 2, 16, and 28, comprising, respectively, the W/2 NW/4 of Section 23, the SW/4 SW/4 of Section 23, and the S/2 NW/4 and SW/4 of Section 28, Township 22 South, Range 37 East, Lea County, New Mexico, with Langlie-Mattix production from other tracts in said unit, allocating the production to each of said Tracts 2, 16 and 28 on the basis of monthly well tests.

CASE 4298:

Application of Dugan Production Corporation for a non-standard gas proration unit, San Juan County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks approval of a 171.15 acre non-standard gas proration unit comprising the NW/4 SE/4, S/2 SE/4 of Section 33, Township 30 North, Range 14 West, and the NW/4 NE/4 of Section 4, Township 29 North, Range 14 West, to be dedicated to a well to be drilled to an undesignated Pictured Cliffs gas pool in either the SW/4 SE/4 of said Section 33 or the NW/4 NE/4 of said Section 4. In the alternative applicant seeks approval of a 131.93 acre non-standard proration unit comprising the NW/4 SE/4 and the S/2 SE/4 of said Section 33 to be dedicated to said well in the SW/4 SE/4 of said Section 33.

- CASE 4299: Application of Texas Pacific Oil Company, Inc., for a non-standard gas proration unit, Lea County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks the consolidation of two existing non-standard gas proration units into one 240-acre non-standard unit comprising the N/2 NW/4 and the NE/4 of Section 8, Township 22 South, Range 36 East, Jalmat Gas Pool, Lea County, New Mexico, to be dedicated to its State "A" a/c-2 Wells Nos. 43 and 49, located in Units H and C, respectively, of said Section 8. Applicant further seeks to produce the allowable assigned to said unit from either of the aforesaid wells in any proportion.
- CASE 4300: Application of Texas American Oil Corporation for the creation of a new gas pool and for special pool rules, Eddy County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks the creation of a new Atoka gas pool for its Todd "26" Federal Well No. 1 located 1980 feet from the North and East lines of Section 26, Township 23 South, Range 31 East, Eddy County, New Mexico, and for the promulgation of special rules therefor, including a provision for 640-acre spacing units.
- CASE 4301: In the matter of the hearing called by the Oil Conservation Commission on its own motion to permit Robert T. Smith and all other interested persons to appear and show cause why the following Robert T. Smith wells located in Section 32, Township 20 North, Range 9 West, McKinley County, New Mexico, should not be plugged and abandoned in accordance with a Commission-approved plugging program:

State Well No. 1 located 487 feet from the North line and 990 feet from the East line:

State "A" Well No. 1 located 400 feet from the North line and 990 feet from the East line;

State Well No. 3 located 330 feet from the North line and 330 feet from the West line;

State Well No. 6 located 220 feet from the North line and 1485 feet from the East line;

State Well No. 6-Y located approximately 5 feet West of the above-described Well No. 6;

State Well No. 8 located 1155 feet from the North line and 2475 feet from the East line.

DOCKET: EXAMINER HEARING - WEDNESDAY - FEBRUARY 25, 1970

9 A.M. - OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION CONFERENCE ROOM, STATE LAND OFFICE BUILDING - SANTA FE, NEW MEXICO

The following cases will be heard before Elvis A. Utz, Examiner, or Daniel S. Nutter, Alternate Examiner:

CASE 4296:

(Continued from the January 21, 1970 Examiner Hearing)
Application of S. P. Yates for a pressure maintenance project expansion, Eddy County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks authority to expand the S. P. Yates West McMillan Anderson Pressure Maintenance Project, authorized by Order No. R-3852, by the injection of water into the Queen formation through one additional well, the Anderson Well No. 3 located 2310 feet from the East line and 990 feet from the South line of Section 11, Township 20 South, Range 26 East, West McMillan-Seven Rivers-Queen Pool, Eddy County, New Mexico.

CASE 4308:

Application of Bill J. Graham for salt water disposal, Lea County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks authority to dispose of produced salt water into the Delaware formation in the perforated interval from 4913 feet to 4961 feet in his U. S. Smelting Federal Well No. 5 located in Unit P of Section 22, Township 24 South, Range 32 East, Double X-Delaware Pool, Lea County, New Mexico.

CASE 4309:

Application of Mobil Oil Corporation for an amendment of Order No. R-3824, Lea County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks the amendment of Order No. R-3824 to permit the drilling of its Humphrey Queen Unit Well No. 13, a water injection well in its Langlie Mattix Humphrey Waterflood Project, at a non-standard location 1500 feet from the South line and 1220 feet from the East line of Section 4, Township 25 South, Range 37 East, Lea County, New Mexico, in lieu of the location authorized in said Order No. R-3824.

CASE 4310:

Application of Klabzuba, Munson and Seaman for an unorthodox oil well location, Chaves County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks authority to drill a wildcat oil well to the Devonian formation at an unorthodox location 700 feet from the East line and 2500 feet from the South line of Section 13, Township 10 South, Range 27 East, Chaves County, New Mexico.

CASE 4311:

Application of C. E. Long for compulsory pooling, Lea County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks an order force-pooling all mineral interests from the surface down to the base of the Seven Rivers formation underlying the S/2 of the NE/4 of Section 31, Township 21 South, Range 36 East, Lea County, New Mexico, to form two 40-acre proration units for Jalmat, Eumont, or South Eunice Oil production to be dedicated to a well to be re-entered in Unit H and a well to be re-entered or to be drilled at a standard location in Unit G of said Section 31 and/or to form an 80-acre non-standard gas proration unit in the event gas production is encountered in the Jalmat or Eumont Gas Also to be considered will be the costs of drilling said well, a charge for the risk involved, a provision for the allocation of actual operating costs, and the establishment of charges for supervision of said well.

CASE 4312:

Application of U. S. Potash & Chemical Company, Eddy County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks the amendment of Order No. R-111-A to include the following-described lands in the Potash-Oil Area defined by said order:

EDDY COUNTY, NEW MEXICO

Township 23 South, Range 31 East, Sections 19, 20, 27, 28, 29 and 30: All

CASE 4313:

Application of Atlantic Richfield Company for a non-standard gas proration unit, Lea County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks the establishment of 160-acre non-standard gas proration unit comprising the N/2 S/2 of Section 36, Township 21 South, Range 37 East, Blinebry Gas Pool, Lea County, New Mexico, to be dedicated to its State 367 Wells Nos. 2 and 3 located, respectively, in Units L and K of said Section 36. Applicant further seeks authority to produce the allowable assigned to said unit from either of the aforesaid wells in any proportion.

CASE 4314:

Application of Coastal States Gas Producing Company for pool redelineation, Lea County, New Mexico. Applicant, in the above-styled cause, seeks the redelineation of certain pool boundaries to include the deletion of the W/2 and SE/4 of Section 21, Township 13 South, Range 33 East, Lea County, New Mexico, from the Lazy J-Pennsylvanian Pool and the extension of the North Baum Upper Pennsylvanian Pool to include said deleted acreage.